Application No. 09/995,631



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The following is a listing of co-pending U.S. patent applications which list Han Ulrich Stilz et al. as an inventor.

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Applicants consider the aforementioned documents and the disclosure of its existence as pending applications to constitute proprietary information. Accompanying this Proprietary Information Disclosure Statement is a transmittal letter indicating that the materials contained herein are proprietary, as required by MPEP § 724.02.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the foregoing information and provide in the next official communication the information set forth in MPEP § 724.04(a), so that the Applicants can, if appropriate, expunge those materials, as provided by the accompanying Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.59(b).

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.56 and 37 CFR §1.97

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Submitted herewith on Form PTO/SB/08A is a listing of documents known to applicant in order to comply with applicant's duty of disclosure pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56.

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CONCISE EXPLANATION OF RELEVANCE OF EACH DOCUMENT

- U.S. 5,939,556 is an English language equivalent to WO 96/33976 submitted with the IDS filed November 29, 2001 (entry A6 in the IDS).
- U.S. 5,981,492 is an English language equivalent to WO 95/14008 submitted with the IDS filed November 29, 2001 (entry A13 in the IDS).
- U.S. 6,218,415 is an English language equivalent to EP 0796855 submitted with the IDS filed November 29, 2001 (entry A14 in the IDS).
- WO 96/22966 was incorrectly listed as WO 96/2296 in the IDS filed November 29, 2001.
 - U.S. 5,998,447 was issued December 7, 1999.

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Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be considered by the Examiner and be made of record in the present application and that an initialed copy of Form PTO/SB/08A be returned in accordance with M.P.E.P. §609.

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